GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS
LOK SABHA

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PUBLISHING OF PAPERS & PATENTS THROUGH NIPER
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Will the Minister of CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the papers and patents published through National Institute of Pharmaceutical Education and Research(NIPER) are not in line with requirements of Small Scale Pharma Units;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether the selection Committee and other related Committees do not have any representative of Small Scale Pharma Industry; and

(d)if so, the reaction of the Government thereto?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (SHRI B.K. HANDIQUE)

(a)& (b): National Institute of Pharmaceutical Education & Research carries out research in the area of pharmaceutical sciences and technology. Research findings published in the form of papers and patents can be used by any pharma industry irrespective of these being in the small or large pharma unit sectors.

(c): Selection Committee and other related committee are constituted strictly as per the provisions laid down in the Statutes which have been formulated in accordance to the NIPER Act.

(d): Does not arise in view of (c) above.